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Application No. 09/685,828
Notice of Allowance dated 3/22/04

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of
Klein, et al.

Application No: 09/685,828

Filed: October 10, 2000

For: METHODS OF IDENTIFYING
COMPOUNDS HAVING NUCLEAR
RECEPTOR HORMONE AND/OR
ANTAGONIST ACTIVIES`

Group Art Unit: 1648

Examiner: Myron G. Hill

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As required in the Notice of Allowance, Applicants submit herein a substitute Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney – U.S.A. Application”.

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 147 (a)

The following inventors could not be reached after diligent effort. Their last known addresses are listed with their names.

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Remaining applicants hereby petition the Director that the requirement that these inventors sign the declaration be suspended or waived in accordance with 37 C.F.R 1.183. The following is submitted as evidence that diligent effort was made to reach the inventors.

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Respectfully submitted,



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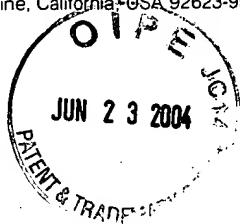
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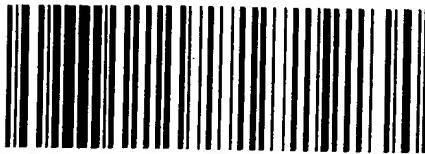
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